

with the terms and conditions of any annual acreage reduction program in effect for each CAB on a farm contracted in IFM.

(e) The agreement shall contain such other provisions as CCC determines appropriate to carry out the program established by this part.

(f) The agreement shall provide for payment of liquidated damages and termination in the event that the operator or any other producers on the farm fail to comply with their obligations under the agreement.

(g) Approved agreements expiring by the crop year 1995 may be renewed once, at the option of the producer, in the crop year that such agreement expires for a period of 3, 4, or 5 years. Such agreements expiring after the 1997-crop year are not renewable.

(h) IFM agreements may be canceled by the producer before the end of the acreage reduction program signup period in the year the CCC-406 is signed.

(i) If a producer enrolls into the conservation reserve program for the current program year, in accordance with part 1410 of this chapter:

(1) The IFM agreement and the acreage reduction program agreement shall be canceled;

(2) A new IFM agreement may be filed within 15 calendar days after the date of notification to the producer of the revised CAB's, and

(3) Minimum required resource conservation crop acreage shall be recomputed using the effective CAB after the reduction of such CAB for participation in the conservation reserve program.

§ 1414.12 Integrated farm management plan.

(a) In implementing the provisions of this part, FSA shall:

(1) Provide the producer and SCS:

(i) CAB information; and

(ii) The minimum required resource-conserving crop acreage.

(2) Provide the producer:

(i) The annual acreage reduction program options relative to program planning decisions, and

(ii) Assistance in evaluating acreage reduction program options in conjunction with the plan;

(3) Provide SCS a copy of the producer's report of acreage; and

(4) Provide SCS a copy of the farm's acreage reduction program agreement and IFM agreement approved by the county committee.

(b) In implementing the provisions of this part, ES shall provide:

(1) Assistance to the producer, as requested, in developing integrated pest management guidelines if they are part of the plan;

(2) Assistance to the producer, as requested, in collecting and analyzing soil tests and in developing nutrient management guidelines if they are part of the plan;

(3) Assistance to the producer, as requested, with farm management recordkeeping; and

(4) Advice for maximizing the utilization of IFM to their farm operation.

(c) In implementing the provisions of this part, SCS shall:

(1) Develop the plan with the assistance of the producer;

(2) Assemble the various components of the plan; and

(3) Provide technical assistance to the producer for planning and implementing the conservation plan, erosion control, water management, and water quality components of the plan;

(4) Spot check the plans to assure that the elements contained in the plan have been implemented and meet technical standards; and

(5) Assist the producer in revising the plan to address changes in farm operations.

(d) The plan will contain elements that address:

(1) The specific acreage and CAB's enrolled;

(2) Acreage and location of the resource-conserving crop for each year of the agreement;

(3) Scheduling practices for the implementation, improvement, and maintenance of the resource-conserving crop rotation;

(4) A description of the farming operations and practices to be implemented and the impact of those practices on:

(i) Maintenance or enhancement of the overall productivity and profitability of the farm;

(ii) Erosion, soil fertility, and soil physical properties;

(iii) Water supplies; and

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(iv) Federal, State, and local requirements designed to protect soil, wetlands, wildlife habitat, groundwater, and surface water; and

(5) The coordination of all soil and water resource plans applicable to the enrolled acreage; and

(6) Other provisions as provided by this part.

§ 1414.13 Displacement of tenants or lessees.

(a) In addition to the regulations relating to tenants and sharecroppers as set forth in §1413.107 of this chapter, agreements and plans that will result in the involuntary displacement of farm tenants or lessees by landowners through the removal of substantial portions of the farm from production of a commodity shall not be approved.

(b) In the case of any tenant or lessee who has rented or leased the farm (with or without a written option for annual renewal or periodic renewals) for a period of 2 or more of the immediately preceding years, the refusal by a landlord, without reasonable cause other than simply for the purpose of enrollment in the program, to renew such rental or lease shall be considered as an involuntary displacement in the absence of a written consent to such nonrenewal by the tenant or lessee.

§ 1414.14 Successors in interest.

(a) The successor in interest provisions of §1413.51 of this chapter are applicable to this part, except as otherwise provided in this section.

(b) Successors not wanting to continue participation in IFM may terminate the IFM agreement without the assessment of liquidated damages, after the year in which the succession occurs.

§ 1414.15 Misrepresentation and scheme or device.

The misrepresentation and scheme and device provisions set forth in §1413.52 of this chapter are applicable to this part.

Subpart C—Bases and Yields

§ 1414.21 Bases and yields.

CAB's or farm program payment yields shall not be reduced as a result

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of the planting of a RCC as part of an RCC rotation implemented under the IFM.

§ 1414.22 Reconstitution of farms.

The reconstitution regulations set forth in part 719 of this title are applicable to this part.

Subpart D—Resource-Conserving Crop Provisions

§ 1414.27 Resource-conserving crops (RCC's) on acreage conservation reserve (ACR).

(a) Acreage devoted to RCC's as a part of an RCC rotation under this program may also be designated as ACR for the purpose of fulfilling any provisions under any acreage limitation program. The ACR must meet the minimum size and width requirements as set forth in §1413.61 of this chapter.

(b) ACR acreage devoted to perennial cover, on which cost-share assistance for the establishment of the perennial cover has been provided, shall not be credited towards the producer's RCC requirement under an agreement.

(c) 50 percent of the RCC acreage designated as ACR may be hayed and grazed any time during the entire year. The remaining acreage designated as ACR may be hayed and grazed, except during the 5-month period during which haying and grazing of ACR is not allowed. The remaining acreage designated as ACR that include a small grain (other than barley, oats, and wheat), may be hayed and grazed after the small grain is harvested. Haying includes silage, forage, haylage, and green chop.

(d) Barley, oats, or wheat, as part of an RCC, on ACR may not be harvested in kernel form.

(e) Other small grains that are part of an RCC and other RCC's on ACR acreage may be harvested in kernel form.

§ 1414.28 Resource-conserving crops on payment acres.

(a) Program payments with respect to acreage enrolled in the program shall not be paid to a producer if such producer hays or grazes such acreage (excluding acreage designated as ACR) during the 5-month period in which